# Mountain Weather Forecast

## Mourne Mountains

Forecast valid from 06:00 on Friday 20 May 2022 until 23:59 on Saturday 21 May 2022

Forecast Issued on Friday 20 May 2022 at 02:45

**Confidence:** High for changeable conditions to continue until early next week. Low for detail for extent of showers on a daily basis.

**Headline for Friday 20 May 2022:** Mostly dry morning, showery rain in the afternoon

**Mountain weather hazards on Friday 20 May 2022**

**Blizzards**
No Likelihood

**Gales**
No Likelihood

**Thunderstorms**
Low Likelihood

**Heavy persistent snow**
No Likelihood

**Severe chill effect**
No Likelihood

**Heavy persistent rain**
No Likelihood

**Storm force winds**
No Likelihood

**Poor visibility**
Medium Likelihood

**Strong sunlight**
Medium Likelihood

| **Weather and chance of precipitation at 700m** | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Time | | | | | |
| 06:00 | 09:00 | 12:00 | 15:00 | 18:00 | 21:00 |
| | | | | | |
| Sunny intervals | Cloudy | Heavy Rain | Heavy rain showers | Heavy rain showers | Sunny intervals |
| Precipitation probability | | | | | |
| 00% | 20% | 70% | 70% | 30% | 20% |

**Forecast for Friday 20 May 2022**

**Weather:** Starting off dry with some early sunshine. Thickening cloud will bring a little rain by late morning. Then the rest of the day will be often cloudy with a few showers, these turning briefly heavy in the afternoon with a small chance of a thunderstorm. Showers will die out in the evening.

**Chance of cloud-free hill tops above 700m:** 50%, best chance first thing in the morning, and again from late afternoon

**Low cloud and visibility:** Areas of thin low cloud around 500 metres at first, chiefly on southern upslopes. Cloud lowering to 600 to 800 metres at times from late morning until mid-afternoon, especially as showers pass by. Otherwise very good visibility expected first thing and again from mid-afternoon with great air clarity.

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**Forecast for Friday 20 May 2022**

| Height (m) | Wind Speed mean/gusts (mph) Wind Direction (blowing from) | | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | 06:00 | 09:00 | 12:00 | 15:00 | 18:00 | 21:00 | 00:00 |
| **600** | 22/30 S | 23/31 S | 22/32 SW | 22/32 W | 22/31 W | 23/33 W | 27/40 W |
| **300** | 10/19 S | 13/23 S | 12/23 SW | 12/22 W | 12/22 W | 9/20 W | 12/24 W |
| **Valley** | 8/17 S | 11/21 S | 10/22 SW | 11/22 W | 11/23 W | 8/20 W | 10/23 W |

| Height (m) | Temperature / Feels Like (°C) | | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | 06:00 | 09:00 | 12:00 | 15:00 | 18:00 | 21:00 | 00:00 |
| **600** | 7/2 | 8/3 | 8/4 | 9/5 | 8/4 | 7/3 | 6/1 |
| **300** | 9/7 | 10/8 | 10/8 | 12/10 | 11/9 | 9/7 | 8/5 |
| **Valley** | 10/8 | 12/10 | 12/10 | 14/12 | 12/10 | 10/8 | 9/6 |
| **Freezing Level*** | 1600m | 1700m | 1900m | 1700m | 1700m | 1500m | 1500m |

**Level above which ground is expected to be frozen/snow is expected to settle.*

**Meteorologist's View**

Strong winds expected at height. Combined with rain this will lead to drenching conditions, as well as a notable wind chill at height, in afternoon rain.

**Forecast for Saturday 21 May 2022**

**Weather:** Dry in the morning with some hazy sunshine. Then staying largely dry but rather cloudy for the rest of the day.

**Maximum wind:** Southwesterly 20 to 30 mph on the higher tops

**Chance of cloud-free hill tops above 700m:** 60%

**Low cloud and visibility:** Patchy cloud above 700 metres developing in the afternoon and evening, this mainly across the southwest of the area. Otherwise very good visibility expected through the day.

**Temperature:** **Valleys:** Plus 6 rising to 15 Celsius
**At 700m:** Plus 9 Celsius
**Freezing level:** Above summits

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